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**From:** Terada, Calvin  
**Sent:** Mon 8/17/2015 3:18:21 PM  
**Subject:** RE: draft Info Page announcement

Looks pretty good to me. My suggestions below.

Calvin

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**From:** Moon, Wally  
**Sent:** Monday, August 17, 2015 8:06 AM  
**To:** Terada, Calvin; Williamson, Ann; Rubenstein, Peter  
**Subject:** draft Info Page announcement

Ann, Peter and Cal, here is a draft Info Page announcement I suggest we post today to keep R10 staff informed and as sort of advertisement for RSC. The hope is that staff in R10 become curious about RSC and will start thinking about joining at a later date. I think a weekly update on staffing would be sufficient. I took much of Ann's message to develop this. Thanks Ann!

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Title: R10 supports R8 and R9 at the Gold King Release and

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Curious about the Agency's efforts to address the Gold King Mine release in R8? Did you know that R9 is also deploying staff to

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For current Gold King Mine release information, there is a public website:

<http://www2.epa.gov/goldkingmine>. There is no EPA public website developed for our relief efforts for Typhoon Soudelor and Tropical Storm Goni.

R10 has been contacted by HQ, Regions 8 & 9, and FEMA Region X to actively support response efforts associated with several on-going disasters and thus activated our **Regional Incident Coordination Team (RICT)**. RICT activation means that we will be reaching out to key leadership position members of Region 10's **Incident Management Team (IMT)** and/or **Response Support Corps (RSC)** volunteers 'in good standing' about deployment to the responses. Currently, our Regional Emergency Operations Center (REOC 13<sup>th</sup> floor) has been activated and is now coordinating support for emergency field operations. *(For more information about RSC, please see Response Support Corps – under Index R on the InfoPage.)*

The details below provide information about the deployments to date. As additional requests to fill positions at the Gold King Release or **Nonresponsive** response are received, the REOC Planning Support Section and the RSC Coordinator work to identify possible individuals that have the necessary skills and expertise to fill the requested position, and are available to deploy within the requested period. There are also potentially opportunities to work in the REOC, as the need arises.

**The following REOC and RICT positions have been activated:**

**REOC:**

**Regional Incident Commander (Calvin Terada)**

**Dep. Regional Incident Commander (Wally Moon)**

**Planning Support Section Chief (Josie Clark)**

**Resources Support Leader (Matt Magorrian)**

**Finance Support Section Chief (Jennifer Johnson)**

**RICT:**

**RICT Chair (Ann Williamson)**

**RICT Acting Vice Chair (Peter Rubenstein)**

As of **17 August 2015**, below is a listing of Region 10 staff that have been deployed or are scheduled to deploy:

**Gold King Mine Release:**

1. OSC Heister – Operations Section, Farmington, New Mexico (R9)
2. RPM Moreen – Planning Section, Durango, Colorado (HQ)
3. Public Information Officer MacIntyre—Durango, Colorado (HQ)
4. Critical Incident Stress Management-- Wendy Adams, Durango, Colorado (HQ)
5. OSC Weigel--Incident Commander, Durango, CO (R8)

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The REOC is tracking any and all requests for support coming to the Region. If Program Offices or staff receive deployment requests, including the use of Response Support Corps members, please immediately contact and coordinate with our RICT and RSC leadership: Ann Williamson (Chair) at 3-2739 or Peter Rubenstein ('acting' Vice-Chair) at 3-1067.

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